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### Louisiana Ranks Ninth In Cotton Production

Louisiana cotton production for 2009 was 349,000 bales, up 24 percent from 2008. Yield per acre was 745 pounds, up 169 pounds. Area harvested totaled 225,000 acres, down four percent from 2008. Among the cotton producing states, Louisiana ranked ninth behind Texas, Georgia, Arkansas, North Carolina, Missouri, Tennessee, Arizona and Mississippi.

### Upland Cotton Acreage, Yield and Production

State	Area Planted		Area Harvested		Yield		Production	
	2008	2009 <sup>1</sup>	2008	2009 <sup>1</sup>	2008	2009 <sup>1</sup>	2008	2009 <sup>1,2</sup>
	-----1,000 Acres-----		-----1,000 Acres-----		-----Pounds-----		-----1,000 Bales-----	
Alabama	290.0	255.0	286.0	248.0	787	668	469.0	345.0
Arizona	135.0	145.0	133.0	144.0	1,462	1,477	405.0	443.0
Arkansas	620.0	520.0	615.0	500.0	1,012	818	1,296.0	852.0
California	120.0	71.0	117.0	70.0	1,506	1,646	367.0	240.0
Florida	67.0	82.0	65.0	78.0	916	723	124.0	117.5
Georgia	940.0	1,000.0	920.0	990.0	835	902	1,600.0	1,860.0
Kansas	35.0	38.0	25.0	34.0	653	748	34.0	53.0
<b>Louisiana</b>	<b>300.0</b>	<b>230.0</b>	<b>234.0</b>	<b>225.0</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>281.0</b>	<b>349.0</b>
Mississippi	365.0	305.0	360.0	290.0	911	687	683.0	415.0
Missouri	306.0	272.0	303.0	260.0	1,106	927	698.0	502.0
New Mexico	38.0	31.1	35.0	29.5	974	1,172	71.0	72.0
North Carolina	430.0	375.0	428.0	370.0	847	990	755.0	763.0
Oklahoma	170.0	205.0	155.0	195.0	811	785	262.0	319.0
South Carolina	135.0	115.0	134.0	114.0	881	872	246.0	207.0
Tennessee	285.0	300.0	280.0	280.0	909	843	530.0	492.0
Texas	5,000.0	5,000.0	3,250.0	3,500.0	657	634	4,450.0	4,620.0
Virginia	61.0	64.0	60.0	63.0	908	1,052	113.5	138.1
<b>United States</b>	<b>9,297.0</b>	<b>9,008.1</b>	<b>7,400.0</b>	<b>7,390.5</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>766</b>	<b>12,384.5</b>	<b>11,787.6</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised.

<sup>2</sup> 480-pound net weight bales.

### Cottonseed: Production and Farm Disposition

State	Production		Farm Disposition				Seed for Planting <sup>2</sup>	
			Sales to Oil Mills		Other <sup>1</sup>			
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008 <sup>3</sup>	2009
	-----1,000 Tons-----		-----1,000 Tons-----				-----1,000 Tons-----	
Alabama	139.0	114.0	22.0	11.0	117.0	103.0	1.5	2.2
Arizona	140.3	161.4	---	---	140.3	161.4	1.1	1.4
Arkansas	443.0	294.0	357.0	253.0	86.0	41.0	3.6	3.5
California	280.0	275.0	73.0	---	207.0	275.0	1.7	2.4
Florida	32.6	34.5	28.5	29.0	4.1	5.5	0.4	0.5
Georgia	508.0	539.1	361.0	332.6	147.0	206.5	5.0	5.0
Kansas	12.7	19.0	---	---	12.7	19.0	0.2	0.2
Louisiana	89.0	108.0	58.0	75.0	31.0	33.0	2.1	1.8
Mississippi	230.0	134.0	204.0	118.5	26.0	15.5	2.2	2.4
Missouri	240.0	192.5	155.0	127.0	85.0	65.5	1.5	1.6
New Mexico	25.0	25.4	---	---	25.0	25.4	0.2	0.3
North Carolina	231.0	244.6	44.0	41.1	187.0	203.5	2.4	3.4
Oklahoma	90.5	108.4	87.2	96.8	3.3	11.6	1.0	1.3
South Carolina	88.1	64.3	55.9	40.6	32.2	23.7	0.5	0.7
Tennessee	169.0	157.9	146.0	140.5	23.0	17.4	2.0	2.5
Texas	1,547.1	1,634.0	934.9	1,012.8	612.2	621.2	32.6	37.1
Virginia	35.0	42.7	---	---	35.0	42.7	0.6	0.7
United States	4,300.3	4,148.8	2,526.5	2,277.9	1,773.8	1,870.9	58.6	67.0

<sup>1</sup> Includes planting seed, feed, exports, inter-farm sales, shrinkage, losses and other uses.

<sup>2</sup> Included in "other" farm disposition. Seed for planting is produced in crop year shown but used in the following year.

<sup>3</sup> Revised.

## United States Winter Wheat

Winter Wheat production is forecast at 1.5 billion bushels, down four percent from 2009. Expected area for harvest as grain or seed totals 31.8 million acres, down eight percent from last year. Based on May 1 conditions, the United States yield is forecast at 45.9 bushels per acre, up 1.7 bushels from the previous year. Hard Red Winter, at 960 million bushels, is up five percent from 2009. Soft Red Winter, at 283 million bushels, is down 30 percent from last year.

## United States Hay Stocks on Farms

Hay Stocks stored on farms May 1, 2010, totaled 20.9 million tons, down five percent from a year ago. Disappearance from December 1, 2009 - May 1, 2010, totaled 86.3 million tons, compared with 81.6 million tons for the same period a year ago.

Compared with last year, hay stocks increased in the Tennessee Valley, Ohio Valley, Rocky Mountains and much of the Southwest. Stock increases in these areas were largely attributed to improved spring pasture conditions and in many cases, higher 2009 hay production. Stocks in Kentucky and Rhode Island showed the largest increases with 116 and 100 percent, respectively.

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## Winter Wheat

Selected States	Area Harvested		Yield		Production	
	2009	Ind. 2010	2009	Ind. 2010	2009	Ind. 2010
	-----1,000 Acres-----		-----Bushels-----		-----1,000 Bushels-----	
Arkansas	390	170	44.0	52.0	17,160	8,840
Colorado	2,450	2,300	40.0	38.0	98,000	87,400
Kansas	8,800	8,200	42.0	42.0	369,600	344,400
<b>Louisiana</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>1/</b>	<b>56.0</b>	<b>1/</b>	<b>9,800</b>	<b>1/</b>
Mississippi	165	130	50.0	50.0	8,250	6,500
Oklahoma	3,500	3,900	22.0	33.0	77,000	128,700
Texas	2,450	3,500	25.0	35.0	61,250	122,500
<b>United States</b>	<b>34,485</b>	<b>31,786</b>	<b>44.2</b>	<b>45.9</b>	<b>1,522,718</b>	<b>1,458,350</b>

<sup>1</sup> Not available until September 2010.

## Hay Stocks on Farms

Selected States	December 1			May 1		
	2007	2008	2009	2008	2009	2010
	-----1,000 Tons-----			-----1,000 Tons-----		
Alabama	1,318	1,540	1,700	150	375	192
Arkansas	2,700	3,020	2,900	530	570	340
<b>Louisiana</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>60</b>
Mississippi	1,459	1,365	1,058	196	214	90
Oklahoma	6,100	4,595	4,435	1,600	1,000	650
Texas	13,400	8,483	7,700	4,906	2,100	1,100
<b>United States</b>	<b>104,089</b>	<b>103,658</b>	<b>107,222</b>	<b>21,585</b>	<b>22,065</b>	<b>20,913</b>

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